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2. SOVS WOULD WISH TAKE STRONG ALARMING STAND TO: A. REASSERT POSITION AS CHAMPION EGYPT AND ANTI-COLONIAL COUNTRIES: B. DISTRACT ATTENTION FROM HUNGARY; C. DAMAGE INTERESTS AND PRESTIGE UK AND FRANCE AND DIVIDE WEST ALLIANCE. BSTRACT 30 JUL 1957 DATE SECRET MAKE A COPY OF THIS MESSAGE Copy No. SOURCES METHODS EXEMPTION 382E NAZIWAR CRIMES DI SCLOSURE ACI DATE 2005

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D. POSSIBLY REESTABLISH FEAR USE SOV MILITARY FORCE AS KEY FACTOR WORLD AFFAIRS.

- 3. BELIEVE PREVIOUS ESTIMATE SOYS WISH AVOID GENERAL WAR STILL VALID.
 - 4. PRESENTLY ESTIMATE SOVE:
 - A. WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY NOT ATTACK METROPOLITAN UK OR FRANCE SINCE THIS WOULD START GENERAL WAR;
 - B. UNLIKELY USE FORCES ON LARGE SCALE IN MED SINCE Capability do so soon is low and risk general war would BE GREAT;
 - C. MAY MAKE SMALL SCALE AIR OR SUBMARINE ATTACKS AGAINST FRENCH/UK IN EAST MED TO CREATE PRESSURE TOWARD UN SETTLEMENT SATISFACTORY TO THEM;
 - D. WILL CONTINUE SUPPLY MATERIEL AND TECHNICIANS TO ARABS PROBABLY ON INCREASED SCALE. WILL PROBABLY SEND **VOLUNTEERS:** COORDINATING OFFICERS

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E. AT MINIMUM WILL TRY CREATE ALARM IN WEST BY CONTINUED THREATS.

- 5. DO NOT BELIEVE SOYS WILL EMPLOY NUCLEAR GUIDED MISSLES IN EGYPT ISRAELI WAR ALTHOUGH THEY HAVE CAPABILITY.
- 6. SOVS AIR ATTACKS WESTERN MED WOULD REQUIRE USE ACFT BASES LONG RANGE AIR K FORCE OR ONE WAY IL 28'S. IL 28 BASES SYRIA,

 JORDON OR IRAQ POSSIBILE BUT WOULD INVOLVE MAJOR LOGISTICS,

 DEFENSE PROBLEMS.
- 7. POSSIBLE BUT NOT PROBABLE CHICOMS MIGHT EXPLOIT SUEZ FOR ATTACK HONG KONG.
- 8. FOREGOING VIEW

 8. FLOW EVENTS WILL BE

 EFFECTED BY DAY TO DAY DECISION AND ACTIONS ALL CONCERNED

 AND SOVS ESTIMATE PROBABLE COURSES BIG THREE ACTIONS.

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